



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 19/05/2021

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice G.ILANGO VAN

CRL OP(MD). No.6771 of 2021

1. Kala
2. Rengasamy
3. Vinothkumar @ Sathya
4. Selvarasu
5. Indhirani
6. Aarthi @ Keerthi

... Petitioners/Accused Rank 1 to 6

Vs

State Rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Thirumayam Police Station,
Thirumayam, Pudukottai District.
Crime No.187 of 2021.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners : Mr.Selvakumar.V,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.M.Muthumanickam,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.438 of Cr.P.C

PRAYER :- For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.187 of 2021 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 147, 294(b), 323, 506(ii) of IPC r/w. Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, in Crime No.187 of 2021 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.Heard both sides.

3.There were some land disputes between the petitioners and the defacto complainant. On 13.05.2021, the petitioners scolded the defacto complainant in filthy language and threatened her with dire consequences and also attacked her by using hands. As a result, the defacto complainant sustained injuries. Hence, this case has



4.The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent persons and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and the petitioners have been falsely implicated in the present case and hence, they seek anticipatory bail.

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5.The learned Government Advocate (criminal side), on instructions, submitted that the injured has been discharged from the hospital.

6.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and the fact that it is a land dispute between the parties and the injured has been discharged from the hospital, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners on certain conditions.

7.Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest by the respondent police on executing personal bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- [Rupees Ten Thousand only] each with two sureties each for a likesum to the satisfaction of the respondent police and on further condition that the petitioner shall appear before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Thirumayam, and execute a fresh personal bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- [Rupees Ten Thousand only] each with two sureties for a likesum to the satisfaction of the concerned Judicial Magistrate, within a period of one month, from the date of resumption of regular work in subordinate Courts in view of the present pandemic situation and on further conditions that:

(a)the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity;

(b)the petitioners shall appear before the respondent police, once in two weeks i.e., on Monday, at 10.30 a.m., until further orders;

(c)the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(d)the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(e)on breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/ Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners released on bail by the learned Magistrate/Trial Court himself as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in ***P.K.Shaji Vs. State of Kerala [(2005) AIR SCW 5560]***; and;



(f)if the accused thereafter abscond, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

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TO

- 1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, THIRUMAYAM.
- 2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
PUDUKKOTTAI DISTRICT.
- 3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
THIRUMAYAM POLICE STATION,
THIRUMAYAM, PUDUKOTTAI DISTRICT.
- 4 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

ORDER
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